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**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)
REQUEST TRANSMITTAL**

This is a request for a

Continuation (Continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 08/787,271, filed on January 24, 1997, entitled Bipolar Plates For Electrochemical Cell Stacks.

1. Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on August 05, 1999 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 in the prior nonprovisional application.

2. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d)(4).

(a) DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:
(b) the inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.

4. A new Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.

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5. || Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:

- a. || PTO-1449
- b. || Copies of IDS Citations

(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATION
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c) or (j))		-20* =	X \$ _____ =	\$
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b) or (I))		- 3 =	X \$ _____ =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28). X \$ _____ =				
BASIC FEE (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)				
Total of above Calculations =				380.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. § 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28).				
* Reissue Claims in excess of 20 and over original patent ** Reissue independent claims over original patent.				TOTAL = \$380.00

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6. Small entity status:

(a) || Small entity statement is enclosed, if (b) and (c) do not apply.

(b) A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.

(c) || Is no longer claimed.

7. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0714/LYNN/0020

(a) Fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16.

(b) Fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

(c) Fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18.

8. Two checks in the amount of \$_____ are enclosed.

9. Other: _____

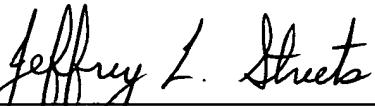
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ABANDONMENT OF PRIOR APPLICATION

Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending or when the petition for extension of time or to revive in that application is granted, and when this application is granted a filing date, so as to make this application copending with said prior application.

Respectfully submitted,



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